

ORDINANCE NO. 04-265

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS
ESTABLISHING THE RATE OF THE UTILITY USERS TAX

The City Council of the City of Los Altos does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. The rate of tax for each of the utility users taxes imposed in Section 3.40.060, 3.40.070, 3.40.090, 3.40.110, and 3.40.120 of the Los Altos Municipal Code do hereby remain fixed and levied at 3.5 percent until further action of the City Council.

Section 2. This ordinance shall expire, and the rate of taxes fixed and levied herein shall be of no further force and effect after June 30, 2005, unless, prior to that date, any election, constitutional amendment, legislative enactment, or court decision removes or limits in any way the City Council's sole authority and fix, set, levy, or change the rate of taxes, in which case, the rate herein shall continue in full force and effect until further action of the City Council.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect July 1, 2004, as provided in Section 36937 (d) of the Government Code, and the tax shall be continued in the billing cycle of each utility.

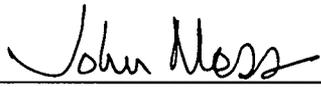
Section 4. This ordinance shall be published once in its entirety in the Los Altos Town Crier, the weekly newspaper in the City of Los Altos, within fifteen (15) days after its adoption.

This ordinance was introduced and passed on June 22, 2004, as provided in Section 36937(d) of the California Government Code.

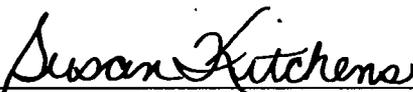
AYES: COLE, PACKARD, CASAS, LEAR, MOSS

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: NONE



JOHN MOSS, MAYOR



SUSAN KITCHENS, CITY CLERK

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